

Food and Drug Administration Fact Sheet – Delaware

FDA Presence: 9 FDA employees in Delaware

Resident Post: Wilmington

reports to: Philadelphia District, Pennsylvania, who

reports to: Central Region: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Industry Presence in State

There are approximately 219 FDA-regulated establishments in the State of Delaware

(Some firms are in more than one category)

Food establishments (includes cosmetics) - 36 percent

Medical device and radiological establishments – 34 percent

Human drug establishments – 20 percent

Animal drug and feed establishments - 5 percent

Biologic establishments (includes blood banks) - 5 percent

Industry Highlights

- Active seafood industry

Contracts, Partnerships & Local Activities

State contracts

Delaware Department of Health

- Conducts inspections of mammography facilities.

Partnerships

- Participates in the Delaware Food Safety Council (DFSC), a partnership with the state and local government, academia, industry and USDA to address food safety issues. At the Jan. '07 DFSC quarterly meeting, PHI-DO lead a discussion of FDA's ALERT initiative and disseminated ALERT materials. An invitation for future training was offered. The information was well received with inquiries made about future training opportunities.